FOR INFORMATION CALL

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Ald. Milele A. Coggs (414) 286-2994

MEDIA ADVISORY

Stop the Violence Awareness Event set for Saturday

Free community event to be held in honor of homicide victim Angelo M. Young

Alderwoman Milele A. Coggs invites the community to take part in a special inaugural Stop the Violence Awareness Event on Saturday (July 30) honoring the memory of Angelo M. Young, 18, who died after he was shot in the 200 block of E. Garfield Ave. in July 2015. All proceeds from the event will go to a reward fund created to help find the person or persons who killed Angelo.

Alderwoman Coggs said Angelo's family has created the event to honor his memory, to honor other Milwaukee homicide victims, and to focus on ways of reducing violence in the community. "Angelo was a talented and positive person, a fresh Rufus King High School graduate with plans to attend UW-Milwaukee and serve in the U.S. Air Force, and the community can honor him and the family during Saturday's free and family-friendly event," she said.

The event, to be held at St. Marcus Lutheran School, 2215 N. Palmer St., will include basketball games, a candlelight vigil for fallen victims of gun violence, bounce houses, face painting, free haircuts and food. Please contact **Angel Young at 414-699-7660** to register for the basketball competition and to learn more about the event.

What: Stop the Violence Event honoring Angelo Young

When: Noon to 6 p.m. on Saturday, July 30

Where: St. Marcus Lutheran School, 2215 N. Palmer St.